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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Applicant has reviewed the Office Action mailed on February 6, 2002. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a one-month extension of the period for responding to the Office action, thereby moving the deadline for response from May 6, 2002 to June 6, 2002.

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IN THE DRAWINGS

The drawings were objected to under 37 CFR 1.83(a). Applicant respectfully traverses. The Examiner asserted that the subject matter of claims 9 and 24 must be shown or the feature(s) canceled from the claim(s). Applicant respectfully traverses, noting that claim 9 is supported in Figure 10 and 16, but is not limited to those embodiments, and claim 24 is supported in Figures 19f and 19g. Accordingly no drawing changes are needed, and Applicant respectfully requests withdrawal of the objections.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute the claim set in the appendix entitled Clean Version of Pending Claims for the previously pending claim set. The substitute claim set is intended to reflect amendment of previously pending claims 3, 12, 17, 20, 21 and 22 and addition of new claims 32-39. The specific amendments to individual claims are detailed in the following marked up set of claims.

3. [Amended Three times] A machine-vision system for inspecting a device, the device having a first side and a second side, the machine-vision system comprising:  
a first inspection station for inspecting a first side of a device;

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